



**PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

BENOIT *et al.*

Serial No. 09/240,675

Filed: February 2, 1999

For: *AN ISOLATED PEPTIDE OR  
POLYPEPTIDE OF THE  
EXTRACELLULAR PORTION OF THE  
HUMAN INTERFERON RECEPTOR  
(IFN-R)*

Examiner: DEVI, Sarvamangala J.N.

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.191**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals from the decision on 16 July 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 29 and 30 in the above-referenced application. A petition for a one month extension of time and the required fee is submitted with the Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 being filed concurrently, making this a timely appeal. The Appeal Fee of \$330.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Dorsey & Whitney LLP Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. A-72230-1 (455675-00194)/GKS/CYO).

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